

# PATENT APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL LETTER

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35 USC §111(a) and 37 CFR §1.53(b) (NEW UTILITY OR DESIGN PATENT APPLICATION)

as a new: ☒ utility or ☐ design patent application

for application entitled: METHOD AND SYSTEM FOR ULTRASONIC  
TAGGING OF FLUORESCENCE

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Enclosed are:

1. ☒ Specification with 20 total pages having:
  - a. ☒ Claims numbered from 1 to 24
  - b. ☒ Abstract
  - c. ☒ Drawing (s) (35 USC §113) as follows:
    - (1) ☒ Formal ☐ Informal

**Total 7 sheets – with Figures No. 1-9**
  - d. ☒ Oath or Declaration with 3 total pages as follows:
    - (1) ☒ Newly executed and signed ☐ Unsigned
    - (2) ☐ Copy from prior application (37 CFR §1.63d) Serial No. filed on
    - (3) ☒ With Power of Attorney ☐ Without Power of Attorney
2. ☒ Assignment (Cover sheet and documents)
3. ☐ Preliminary Amendment
4. ☒ Return Receipt Postcard (MPEP 503) (should be specifically itemized)
5. ☐ Application Data Sheet
6. ☒ Information Disclosure Statement
  - ☒ PTO-1449 ☒ Copies of Cited Documents
7. ☐ Certified Copy of Priority Document
8. ☐ Nonpublication Request under 35 USC §122(b)(2)(B)(i) Applicant must attach form PTO/5B/35 or its equivalent
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  - b. ☒ Check in the amount of \$40.00

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  - ☐ continuation ☐ division ☐ continuation-in-part of prior application Serial No. filed on:
  - ☐ Cancel in this application original claims of the prior application before calculating the filing fee (at least one independent claim must be retained for filing purposes)
  - ☐ Amend the specification by inserting before the first line: This application is a application Serial No. filed on which is hereby incorporated by reference in its entirety.
  - ☐ Prior application information: Examiner Group Art Unit

For CONTINUATION or DIVISIONAL APPS only: The entire disclosure of the prior application, from which an oath or declaration is supplied under Box 1 d (2), is considered a part of the disclosure of the accompanying continuation or divisional application and is hereby incorporated by reference. The incorporation can only be relied upon when a portion has been inadvertently omitted from the submitted application parts.

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- b. ☐ design patent application filing fee of \$340.00  
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